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REVIEW OF PROGRESS OF VIDHARBHA PACKAGE FOR KARNATAKA
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government had a review meeting on August 3, 2007 at Bangalore to review the progress under the Vidharbha Package for Karnataka; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and the amount so far provided for the purpose?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI KANTI LAL BHURIA)

(a)&(b): Government held a review meeting of performance of agriculture sector in Karnataka at Bangalore on 3rd August, 2007, which inter-alia, also reviewed the progress of implementation of special rehabilitation package for farmers in six suicide prone districts of the State. Rs.1290.85 crore has been released till 27th July, 2007 under the rehabilitation package for the farmers in six identified suicide prone districts of the State.